

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Oswaldo da	Costa e Silva et al.))
Serial No.	09/828,302	Art Unit: To be assigned)
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For:	Phosphatase Stress-Related Proteins and Methods of Use in Plants)))

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Applicant submits herewith a Sequence Identification Listing in paper copy and computer readable form as well as a Statement Accompanying the Sequence Identification Listing pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825. Applicant hereby requests entry of the Sequence Identification Listing into the above-referenced application.

Respectfully submitted,

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